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AT the Court at *St. James's*, the 15th Day of *July*, 1768,

PRESENT,

The KING's moſt Excellent Majeſty in Council.

HIS Majeſty in Council was this Day pleaſed to Order that the Convocations of the Provinces of Canterbury and York, which ſtand prorogued to Friday the Twenty-Second of this Inſtant July, ſhould be further prorogued to Friday the Twelfth Day of Auguſt next.

AT the Court at *St. James's*, the 29th Day of *June*, 1768,

PRESENT,

The KING's moſt Excellent Majeſty in Council.

IT having been repreſented to His Majeſty, that ſeveral Perſons, who have obtained Orders of His Majeſty in Council for Grants of Land in His Majeſty's Iſland of St. John in North America, have neglected to take out ſuch Orders, or, if taken out, to preſent them to His Majeſty's Governor of Nova Scotia, by Means whereof His Majeſty's Gracious Intentions, with Reſpect to the Settlement of that Iſland, may be defeated, and the Cultivation and Improvement thereof greatly obſtructed and retarded; It is therefore this Day ordered by His Majeſty in Council, that the Governor, or Commander in Chief for the Time being, of His Majeſty's Colony of Nova Scotia, do forbear to paſs any Grants, under the Seal of that Colony, of any Lots or Parcels of Land in His Majeſties ſaid Iſland of St. John, unleſs His Majeſty's Order in Council, directing the ſame, ſhall have been produced to him on or before the firſt Day of May, which ſhall be in the Year 1769: And that this His Majeſty's Order in Council be publiſhed in the London Gazette, to the End that all Perſons concerned may have due Notice thereof. *Steph. Cottrell.*

Naples, June 21. On Sunday laſt their Sicilian Majeſties, and the Great Duke and Dutcheſs of Tuſcany, were at the Concert and Ball given by Order of his Catholic Majeſty. The Principal Officers of State, and the Foreign Miniſters of the firſt and ſecond Orders, had the Honour of ſupping at the ſame Table with their Majeſties.

Hague, July 8. The King of Denmark arrived here in good Health on Wedneſday Evening between Eight and Nine o'Clock, attended by M de Bernſtorff, Count Moltke Grand Marſhal, Count Holke Marſhal of the Court, Baron de Bulow Chamberlain, Equerry, and Aide de Camp General; Baron During Aide de Camp, M. Schumacker Councillor, M Schimmelman Grand Treaſurer, and Baron Dieden his Daniſh Majeſty's Envoy at the Court of Great-Britain. The King (under the Name of Prince of Travendahl) received Yeſterday at Noon the Compliments of the Colleges of Government, and thoſe of the Foreign Miniſters.

The Prince and Princeſs of Orange, and their whole Court, will be here on Monday, and there is to be a great Entertainment at his Highneſs's Houſe in the Wood on Tueſday Evening.

War-Office, July 16.

2d Troop of Horſe Guards, Lieutenant and Captain Philip Ainſlie is appointed to be Major, vice Lieutenant-Colonel Paul Pechell; by Purchaſe.

Ditto, Guidon and Captain Charles Smythe to be Lieutenant and Captain, vice Philip Ainſlie; by Purchaſe.

Ditto, Sub-Lieutenant Robert Boothby to be Guidon and Captain, vice Charles Smythe; by Purchaſe.

Ditto, Adjutant and Sub-Lieutenant Charles Burton to be Lieutenant and Captain, vice Major James Harington; by Purchaſe.

Ditto, Enſign John Wood, of the 20th Regiment of Foot, to be Adjutant and Sub-Lieutenant, vice Charles Burton; by Purchaſe.

1ſt Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Cornet Hatton Flood to be Lieutenant, vice Edward Whitwell, preferred; by Purchaſe.

Ditto, David Kinloch, Gent. to be Cornet, vice Hatton Flood; by Purchaſe.

6th Regiment of Dragoons, Major John Whitmore to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Robert Rickart Hepburne; by Purchaſe.

Ditto, Captain Lord Robert Kerr to be Major, vice John Whitmore; by Purchaſe.

Ditto, Captain-Lieutenant Richard Edwards to be Captain of a Troop, vice Lord Robert Kerr; by Purchaſe.

Ditto, Lieutenant William Hartnell to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice Richard Edwards; by Purchaſe.

Ditto, Cornet Robert Hewetſon to be Lieutenant, vice William Hartnell; by Purchaſe.

2d Regiment of Light Dragoons, Lieutenant-Colonel William Harcourt, of the 4th Regiment of Light Dragoons, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice the Honourable Hugh Somerville, who retires.

17th Regiment of Foot, Captain William Ridge, of

of the 44th Regiment of Foot, to be Captain; vice Jonathan Rogers, who exchanges.

Ditto, Enſign Thomas Vanderduſſen to be Lieutenant, vice James Stuart, preferred; by Purchaſe.

25*th Regiment of Foot*, Captain-Lieutenant James Flint to be Captain, vice John Wynne; by Purchaſe.

Ditto, Lieutenant Samuel Pintard to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice James Flint; by Purchaſe.

Ditto, Enſign William St. Clair to be Lieutenant, vice Samuel Pintard; by Purchaſe.

17*th Regiment of Foot*, Enſign William Butler to be Lieutenant, vice John Matſon; by Purchaſe.

Ditto, Henry Poole, Gent. to be Enſign, vice William Butler; by Purchaſe.

70*th Regiment of Foot*, Lieutenant James Nugent, from Half-Pay, to be Lieutenant, vice Samuel Richard Wilſon, who exchanges.

St. James's, July 15, 1768.

Whereas it has been humbly repreſented to the King, That, in the Night of the 12th Inſtant, or very early on the 13th, ſome evil-minded Perſon or Perſons broke into the Melon-Ground of Meſſ. Hewitt and Smith's Nurſery at Brompton, and ſtole 14 or 15 good Plants of the Laurel-leaved Magnolia; a Parcel of Chionanthus, or Fringe-Trees, 1 Foot or 15 Inches high; Two or three fine Bead Trees; cut up, broke down, and deſtroyed, a great Number of other valuable Plants; and, alſo, pulled up 41 Holes of fine Melon Plants under Frames and Bell-Glaſſes, and entirely deſtroyed them, with a Number of fine Cantalupe Fruit not ripen'd: His Majeſty, for the better diſcovering and bringing to Juſtice the Perſons concerned in the ſaid abominable Crimes, is hereby pleaſed to promiſe His moſt gracious Pardon to any one of them, (except the Perſon principally concerned) who ſhall diſcover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices therein, ſo that he, ſhe, or they, may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

WEYMOUTH.

And, as a further Encouragement, the ſaid Meſſ. Hewitt and Smith do hereby promiſe a Reward of Ten Guineas *to any Perſon or Perſons making ſuch Diſcovery as aforeſaid, (except as above excepted;) to be paid upon the Conviction of any one or more of the Offenders, by the Hands of* Samuel Hewitt.

St. James's, July 16, 1768.

Whereas it has been humbly repreſented to the King, That an anonimous threatening Letter, wrote with Red Ink, was, in the Night between the 29th and 30th of June laſt, put in between the Shutter and the Window of the Cuſtom-Houſe at Southwold, directed as hereunder, containing the Words and Letters following, viz.

" To
Mr. John Church
" Officer"

" Dear Jack

" As i once was your acquaintance
" i thought it my Duty to let you know the
" danger you are in, in looſeing your Life for it is
" determined to take you off the very firſt Oppor-
" tunity which certainly will not be long, unleſs
" you leave off being ſo very officious, it is wrote
" in Red as an Emblem of Our Deſigns."

His Majeſty, for the better diſcovering and bringing to Juſtice the Perſons concerned in wrtiing the ſaid anonimous threatening Letter, is hereby pleaſed to promiſe His moſt gracious Pardon to any one of them, (except the Perſon who actually wrote the ſaid Letter) who ſhall diſcover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices, ſo that he, ſhe, or they, may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

WEYMOUTH.

And, as a further Encouragement, and in order to bring the Offenders to Juſtice, the Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Cuſtoms do hereby promiſe a Reward of Twenty Pounds *to any Perſon or Perſons making ſuch Diſcovery as aforeſaid, (except as before excepted;) to be paid by the Receiver General of His Majeſty's Cuſtoms, on the Conviction of any one or more of the ſaid Offenders.*

Edw. Stanley, *Secretary.*

General Poſt Office, June 25, 1768.

His Majeſty's Poſtmaſter General, for the further Improvement of Correſpondence, intending to eſtabliſh a Poſt Six Times a Week, inſtead of Three as at preſent, between England and Ireland, both by the Way of Holyhead and Port Patrick, the ſeveral Regulations for that Purpoſe will commence on Wedneſday the 6th of July next.

From that Time alſo the Letters between ſeveral Parts of England and Ireland, which have hitherto been ſent through London, will be circulated directly through the Bye and Croſs Roads; by which Means the Correſponaence between many Commercial Parts in both Kingdoms will be greatly accelerated.

Notwithſtanding the frequent Regulations and Improvements made by the Poſtmaſter General for the Benefit of Correſpondence in divers Parts of Great-Britain and Ireland, it ſtill appears, that vaſt Numbers of Letters are privately collected and delivered contrary to Law, to the great Prejudice of the Revenue: Public Notice *is therefore hereby given, That all Carriers, Coachmen, Watermen, Diſperſers of Country News-Papers, Higlers, and all others whatſoever, hereafter detected in the illegal collecting, conveying, or delivering of Letters or Packets, will be proſecuted with the utmoſt Severity.*

The Penalty is Five Pounds for every ſeveral Offence, and One Hundred Pounds every Week ſuch Practice is continued: One Moiety to the King, and the other Moiety to ſuch Perſon or Perſons who ſhall inform againſt the Offender or Offenders.

By Command of the Poſtmaſter General,
Anth. Todd, *Secretary.*

Victualling-Office, July 13, 1768.

The Commiſſioners for Victualling His Majeſty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Wedneſday the 24th of Auguſt next, they will be ready to receive Tenders in Writing (ſealed up) and treat with ſuch Perſons as may be inclinable to contract for furniſhing Sea Proviſions to ſuch of His Majeſty's Ships and Veſſels as may touch at the Iſle of Man, and be in Want thereof: Alſo Freſh Beef on a ſeparate Contract.

The Conditions of the Contracts may be ſeen at the Secretary's Office at this Office, or by applying to the Collector or Chief Officer of His Majeſty's Cuſtoms at the Iſle of Man.

All Perſons, who may think proper to make Tenders upon the ſaid Occaſion, are deſired to take Notice, that no Regard will be had to any Tender that ſhall not be delivered to the Board before One o'Clock on the ſaid 24th of Auguſt next.

From the Commiſſioners for Paving the Streets of Weſtminſter, &c. July 13, 1768.

Whereas Application has been made to the ſaid Commiſſioners by ſeveral of the Owners and Occupiers of Houſes in Drury-Lane in the Pariſhes of St. Martin in the Fields and St. Giles in the Fields in the County of Middleſex, requeſting the ſaid Commiſſioners to new-pave the ſaid Lane, and take the ſame under their Direction; The ſaid Commiſſioners, purſuant to the Act made

made in the Fifth Year of His preſent Majeſty's Reign, hereby give Notice, that the Owners, Leaſeholders, and Occupiers of Houſes in the ſaid Lane are required to meet on Wedneſday the 17th Day of Auguſt next, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, at the Weſtminſter Bridge Office, Old Palace Yard, Weſtminſter, to ſignify their Aſſent to or Diſſent from New-paving the ſaid Lane.

By Order of the Commiſſioners,

Geo. Box, *Clerk.*

London, July 14, 1768.

Notice is hereby given, that Warrants for the Dividend declared on the Nominal Capital Stock of the Governor and Company for working of Mines, Minerals, and Metals in that Part of Great Britain called Scotland, will be ready to be delivered to the Proprietors on Thurſday the 28th Inſtant, and every Thurſday thereafter till the Whole is paid, at the Sun Fire-Office in Bank-Street, Cornhill: And that the Tranſfer Books of the ſaid Company, which are now ſhut, will be opened again on Thurſday the ſaid 28th of this Inſtant July.

Dr. *ANDERSON*'s, or The Famous *SCOTS* PILLS;

ARE faithfully prepared only by JAMES INGLISH, Son of DAVID INGLISH, deceaſed, at the Unicorn, over-againſt the New Church in the Strand, London; and to prevent Counterfeits from Scotland, as well as in, and about London, you are deſired to take Notice, That the true Pills have their Boxes ſealed on the Top (in Black Wax) with a Lyon Rampant, and Three Mullets Argent, Dr. Anderſon's Head betwixt I. I. with his Name round it, and Iſabella Engliſh underneath the Shield in a Scroll. They are of excellent Uſe in all Caſes where Purging is neceſſary, and may be taken with Epſom, Tunbridge, or other Medicinal Waters.

THE Copartnerſhip between us John Baker, of Arundel-Street, and Andrew Pearſon, of Water-Street in the Strand, Dealers in Coals, being diſſolved on Monday laſt by mutual Conſent, Notice is hereby given, that all Perſons indebted to our ſaid Copartnerſhip are requeſted to pay their Debts to Edward Wilkinſon, our Book-keeper, or to Mr. Rowliſon, at N° 4. Garden-Court Middle-Temple, who are duly authorized by us to receive the ſame; and all Perſons having any Demands on the ſaid Copartnerſhip are deſired to ſend an Account thereof to the ſaid Mr. Rowliſon.

John Baker.
Andrew Pearſon.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Thomas Lymes, late of the Pariſh of St. Saviour in the Borough of Southwark in the County of Surry, Hop-Merchant, deceaſed, (if any ſuch there are) are forthwith to come before Thomas Lane, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Office in Carey-Street near Lincoln's Inn, and prove their ſeveral Demands, or in Default thereof they will be excluded all Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors (if any) of John Eyres, late of Little Ormond Yard, Red Lyon Street, Holborn, Milkman, deceaſed, are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts before Thomas Harris, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Claimants under the Will of Ann Hunt, late of the Pariſh of St. Botolph without Biſhopgate, Widow, are forthwith to come in and make out their reſpective Claims before John Eames, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn Chancery-Lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

TO be ſold, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Edward Montagu, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn Chancery-Lane, London, The Manors of Claxby, Normanby, Wellcomes, and Gedny in the County of Lincoln, together with ſeveral Farms, Lands, Tenements, and Hereditaments, within the ſame County, late the Eſtates of George Markham, Eſq; deceaſed, amounting together to upwards of 1460l. per Annum, for a Term of 1000 Years, without Impeachment of Waſte. For further Particulars enquire at the ſaid Maſter's Chambers.

TO be ſold, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before William Graves, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn, Chancery-Lane, London, A cuſtomary Freehold Eſtate, ſituate at Dalepark in the Pariſh of Hawkſhead in the County of Lancaſter, late the Eſtate of Lawrence Harriſon deceaſed. Particulars whereof may be had at the ſaid Maſter's Chambers.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt iſſued againſt Joſeph Wilſon the Elder, Joſeph Wilſon the Younger, and Lydia Cannon, Paper-Stainers, Dealers, and Copartners in Trade, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupts Eſtate and Effects, on Wedneſday next the 20th Day of July inſtant, at Six o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Swan Tavern, oppoſite Somerſet Houſe in the Strand in the Liberty of Weſtminſter, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing or proſecuting any Suit or Suits for the Recovery of the ſaid Bankrupts Eſtate and Effects, or relating thereto; or the compromiſing, compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Debt or Matter in Diſpute relating thereto; and upon other ſpecial Affairs.

THE Creditors of Edward Holyday, late of Cannon Street, London, Hardwareman, are deſired to meet the Truſtee of his Eſtate and Effects on the 25th Day of July Inſtant, preciſely at Six of the Clock in the Evening, at the Salutation Tavern in Budge-Row, London, in order to inſpect the Truſtee's Accounts, and to make the firſt Dividend of the Effects of the ſaid Edward Holyday now in the Truſtee's Hands; when and where ſuch of the Creditors of the ſaid Edward Holyday, who have not yet executed the Deed of Truſt, are deſired to come prepared to execute the ſame, otherwiſe they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

PUrſuant to an Order made by the Right Honourable Charles Lord Camden, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for Enlarging the Time for Joſeph Price, of Wolverhampton in the County of Stafford, Timber Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, (a Bankrupt) to ſurrender himſelf, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects, for Forty-nine Days, to be computed from the 12th Day of July inſtant; This is to give Notice, that the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named and authorized, or the major Part of them, will meet on the 30th Day of Auguſt next, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Houſe of John Barber, known by the Sign of the White Swan in Birmingham in the County of Warwick; when and where the ſaid Bankrupt is required to ſurrender himſelf, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects, and finiſh his Examination; and the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are then and there to come and prove the ſame, and aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

PUrſuant to an Order made by the Right Honourable Charles Lord Camden, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for Enlarging the Time for James Reid and Thomas Stevens, of the Pariſh of Stroud in the County of Glouceſter, Clothiers and Partners, (Bankrupts) to ſurrender themſelves, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of their Eſtate and Effects, for Sixteen Days, to be computed from the 19th Day of July inſtant; This is to give Notice, that the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named and authorized, or the major Part of them, will meet on the 4th Day of Auguſt next, (and not on the 14th, as before advertiſed) at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the Houſe of Thomas Barber, known by the Sign of the Crown in Minchin Hampton in the County of Glouceſter; when and where the ſaid Bankrupts are required to ſurrender themſelves, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of their Eſtate and Effects, and finiſh their Examination; and the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, may then and there come and prove the ſame, and aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of their Certificate.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Brice Norton, of the Pariſh of St. Paul Shadwell in the County of Middleſex, Maltſter, Corn-Chandler, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 4th Day of July inſtant, and on the 2d and 27th Days of Auguſt next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chooſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Sam Samuel, of Windſor-Street Spital-fields in the County of Middleſex, Merchant, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to